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Group Art Unit : 1654

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Examiner : Rusesell

For : DDS COMPOUNDS AND METHOD FOR MEASUREMENT THEREOF

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☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

☐ A Request for Extension of Time.

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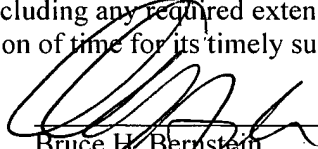
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Sir:

Further to a telephone call with the Examiner on July 6, 2004, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.312,

Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendment.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.